

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	John A.C. Woodley	Art Unit:	3696
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits this AMENDMENT in response to the OFFICE ACTION mailed on August 4, 2009. A PETITION and fee for a three-month extension of time are being filed contemporaneously herewith. Favorable consideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.